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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Case No. CV 08 2468 BZ

DEFENDANT TELECARE
CORPORATION'S WRITTEN
APPLICATION TO EXCUSE
ATTENDANCE OF REPRESENTATIVE
OF INSURANCE CARRIER AT
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE; AND
[PROPOSED] ORDER THEREON

Date: April 29, 2009 Time: 2:00 p.m.

Chief Magistrate Judge James Larsen

Courtroom F, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor

Action Filed: January 9, 2008

Trial Date: July 27, 2009

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## **APPLICATION**

Defendant Telecare Corporation respectfully requests that the Court excuse the representative of its insurance carrier from personally attending the settlement conference scheduled for April 29, 2009, at 2:00 p.m. The representative of the insurance carrier, Chubb Specialty Insurance, who has been assigned to this matter, Tracy Bilodeau, Esq., resides in the Phoenix, Arizona area. Ms. Bilodeau is unable to attend the settlement conference on April 29 in person

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1	without substantial hardship because she has other commitments on that date that cannot be changed,
2	including a medical appointment and childcare obligations. (Her husband is actively serving in the
3	military, and because she is by default the primary caregiver, she is unable to travel to the San
4	Francisco area.) However, Ms. Bilodeau can be available by telephone for the settlement
5	conference.
6	Therefore, defendant Telecare Corporation respectfully requests that this application
7	be granted.
8	Respectfully submitted,
9	Descrit April 22 2000
10	Dated: April 22, 2009
11	A Professional Corporation Attorneys for Defendant
12	TELECARE CORPORATION
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14	<u>ORDER</u>
15	Pursuant to the Application set forth above, the Court excuses the representative of
16	Defendant Telecare Corporation's insurance carrier, Tracy Bilodeau, Esq., of Chubb Specialty
17	Insurance, from personal attendance at the settlement conference on April 29, 2009. In lieu of her
18	personal appearance, Ms. Bilodeau is ordered to be available by telephone for the duration of the
19	settlement conference.
20	IT IS SO ORDERED.
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22	Dated: April 23, 2009
23	Chief Magistrate Judge
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